

September 1, 2004

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

**RE: Children's Television Obligations of Digital Broadcasters,
MM Docket No. 00-167**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to section 1.1206 (b)(2) of the Commission's rules, we hereby submit this notice regarding an *ex parte* meeting in the above-referenced proceeding.

On Monday, August 30, representatives of the Children's Media Policy Coalition met with Jordan Goldstein, Senior Legal Advisor to Commissioner Copps. Attending the meeting were: Patti Miller, Director of the Children & the Media Program, Children Now; Christy Glaubke, Principal Associate, Children & the Media Program, Children Now; Dale Kunkel, Professor, University of Arizona; Angela Campbell, Professor, Institute for Public Representation, Georgetown University; Jennifer Prime, Institute for Public Representation, Georgetown University; Jeff McIntyre, Senior Legislative Analyst, American Psychological Association; Norris Dickard, Director of Public Policy, The Benton Foundation; and Gloria Tristani, Managing Director, Office of Communications, United Church of Christ and Children Now board member.

The representatives discussed the coalition's proposal for educational/informational programming in the digital age and their recommendations on—and issues related to—interactive advertising. They shared their proposals on how digital technology could be used to provide information to parents. Other issues discussed included: preemption and information related to commercial matter.

In accordance with the Commission's rules, this *ex parte* notice is being filed electronically in the above-referenced dockets. If you have any questions regarding this filing, please do not hesitate to contact me at 510-763-2444.

Sincerely,

Patti Miller
Director, Children & the Media Program
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